

# Weekly Update

21st April 2019

A warm welcome to everyone at St Stephen's today.  
If this is your first visit we are delighted to welcome you and  
would love to talk to you after any service.



## 5:30am Dawn Communion

*followed by breakfast*

*Leader: Steve Newbold*

*Preacher: Sam Sanya*

## 10:30am All Age Celebration

*followed by cafe*

*Leader: Caroline Newbold*

*Preacher: Caroline Newbold*

*Reading: John 20:1-18 Page 1089*

**No 9am or 6:30pm services today**

Personal Prayer is available. If you have come with any concern or you have  
felt challenged during the service, do seek prayer this morning.

**The staff and  
Leadership Team wish you  
a very Happy Easter**

### Easter Day Cafe

Today the Café will be after the  
10.30am service.

### Christian Aid Week

12-19 May

Sunday 12th - Sale of books,  
plants and cakes plus concert by  
Coro.

Wednesday 15th - Lunch

Sunday 19th - Circle the City Walk  
See May Bulletin and Mission  
Board for more information.

### Lent Appeal

Please use a clearly marked  
yellow gift aid envelope to give to  
our Lent Appeal to help combat  
Modern Day Slavery.

### Thank You

Thank you to everyone who  
has helped this Holy Week. We  
are so grateful to those who  
have moved furniture, arranged  
flowers, served refreshments, led  
sung worship, read, prayed, and  
so much more. Thank you all. If  
anyone has any feedback about  
any of our Holy Week Services  
please email Steve Newbold.

## Next Sunday Annual Church Meeting 6:30pm in Church

Come along to our annual  
meeting where we will elect  
new members of the Church  
Council and hear about plans  
for the year ahead.

We need to elect 2  
Churchwardens for a one year  
term, 3 members of the Church  
Council for a three year term & 1  
Deanery Synod Representative  
for a one year term year. Please  
see the website for the annual  
reports, and the information  
stand for details about standing  
for election.

Anyone wishing to stand as  
Churchwarden is asked to speak  
to Steve Newbold in advance of  
submitting a nomination.

## Easter Monday

There is no 8am morning prayer  
on Easter Monday and the church  
and centre will be closed.

## Prayer for the Week

God of glory, by the raising of  
your Son you have broken the  
chains of death and hell: fill your  
Church with faith and hope; for  
a new day has dawned and the  
way to life stands open in our  
Saviour Jesus Christ.

Amen